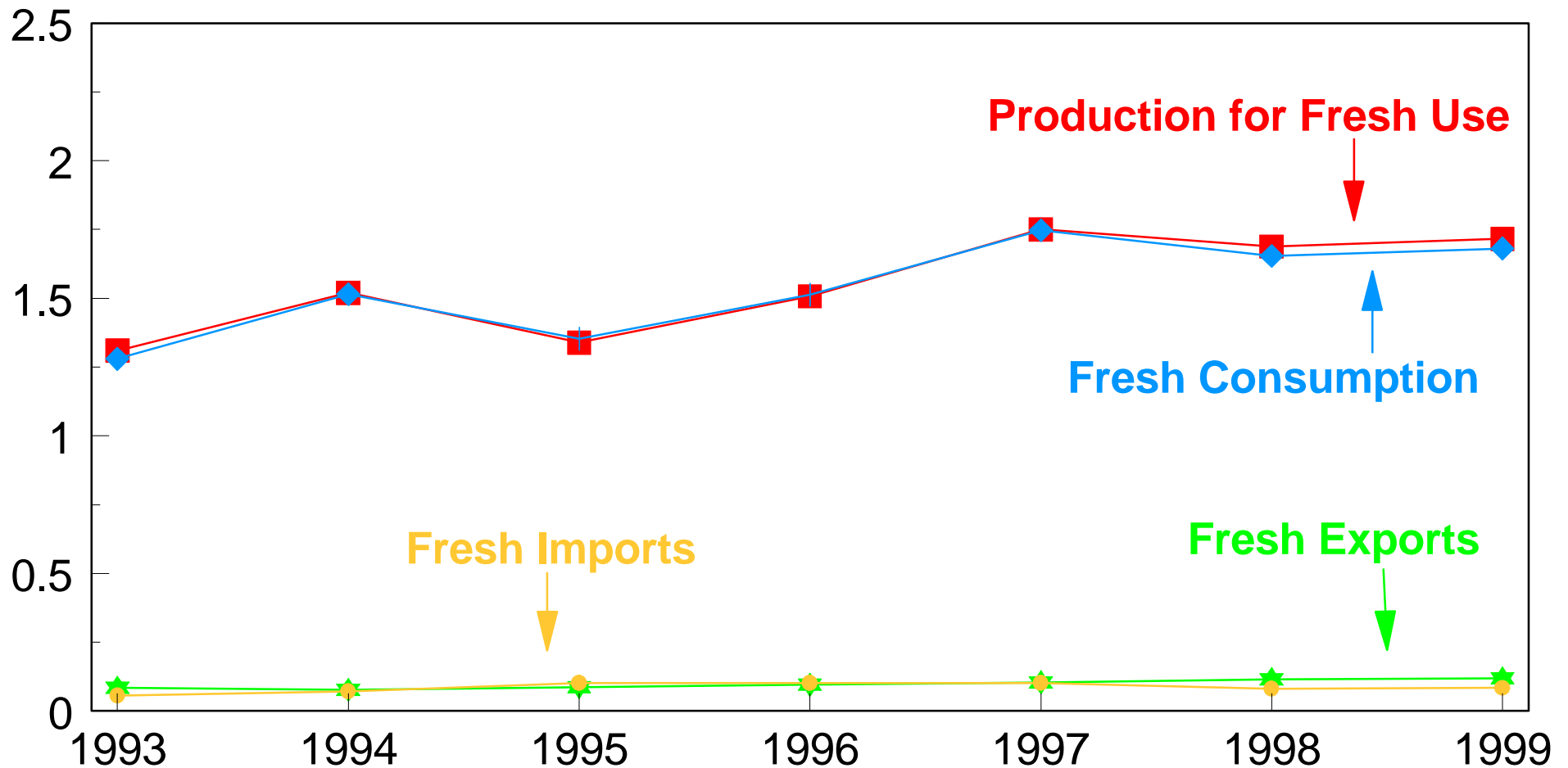


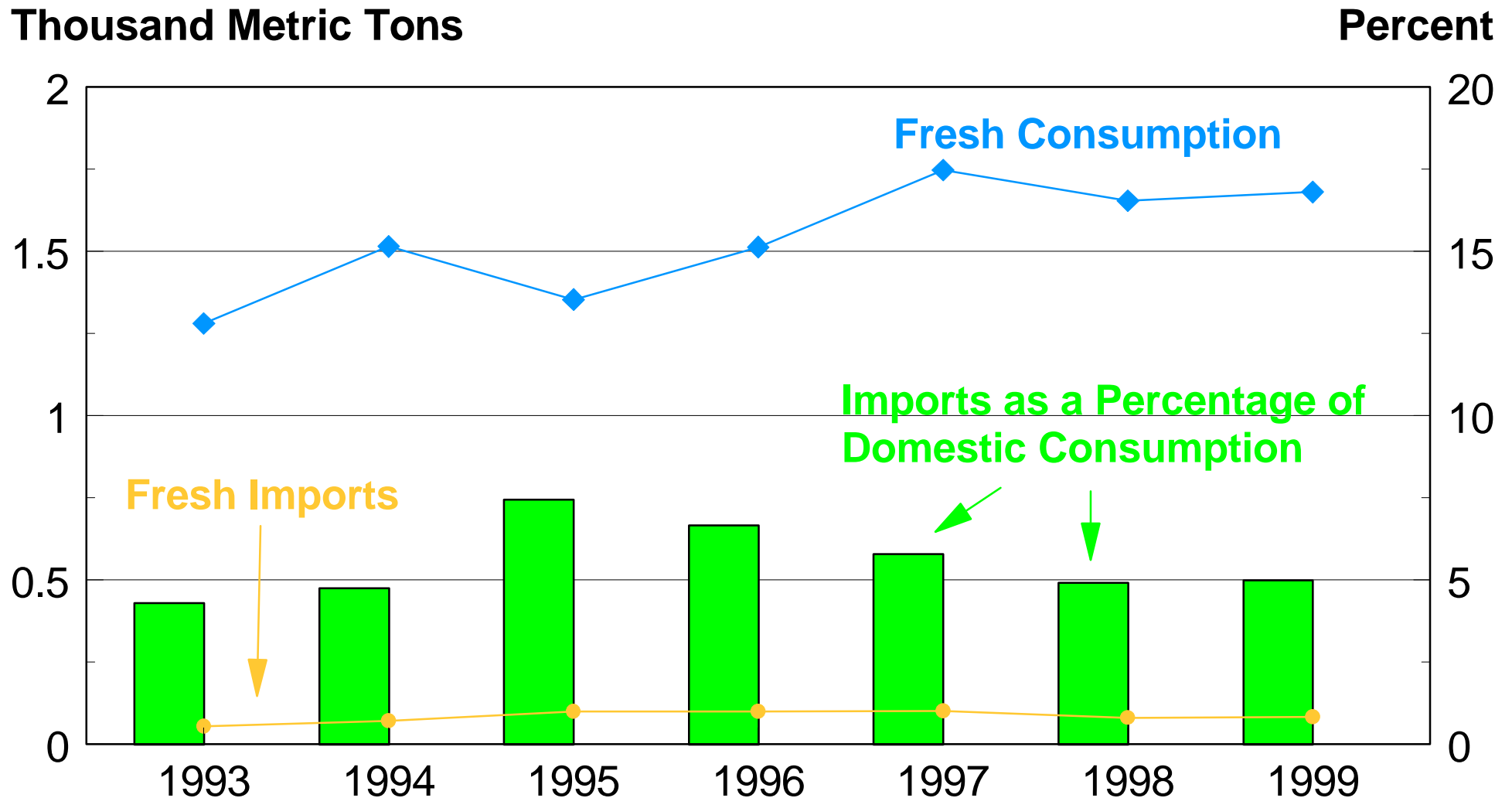
The U.S. Fresh Carrot Market

Million Metric Tons



Source: Economic Research Service

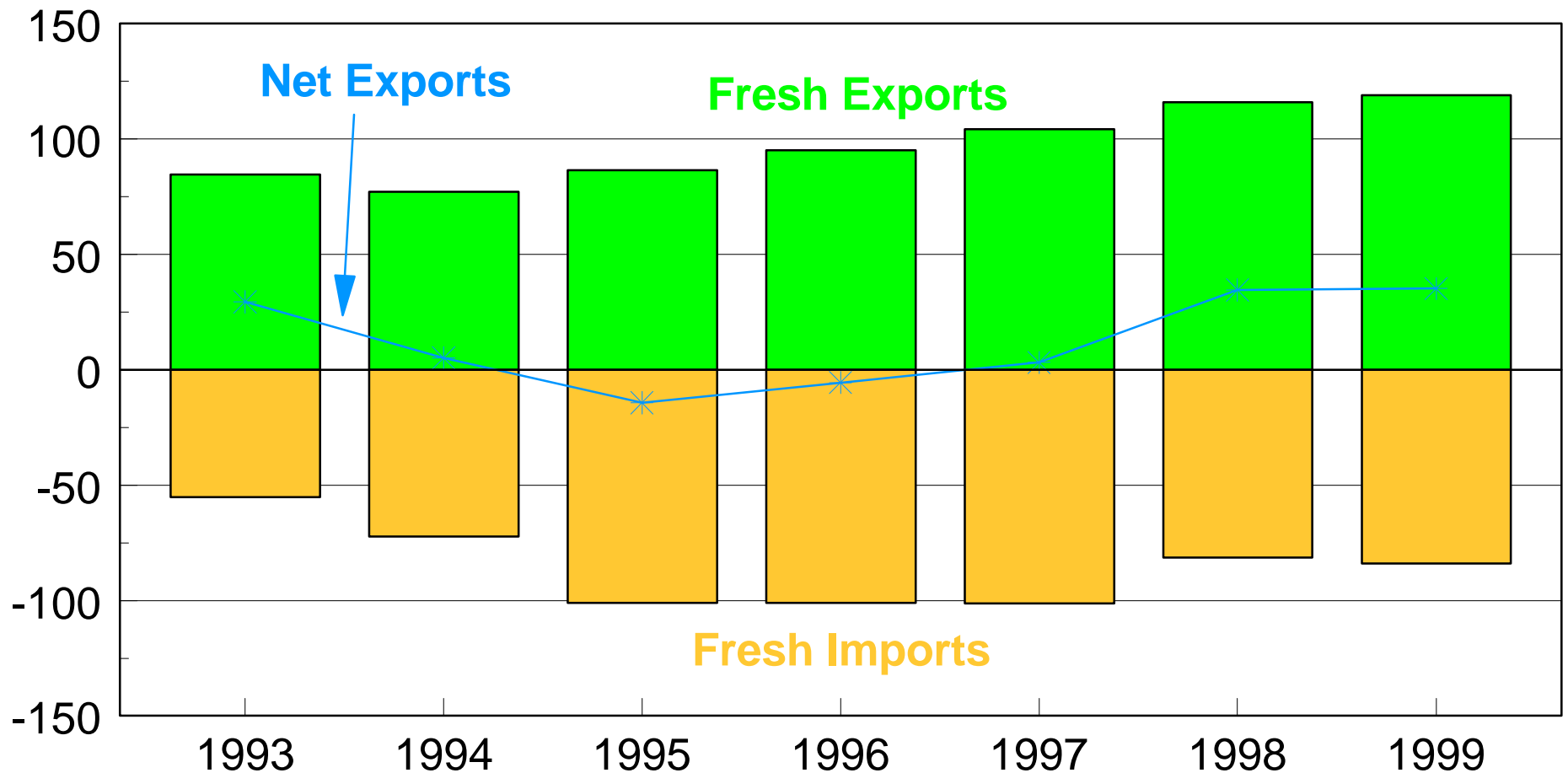
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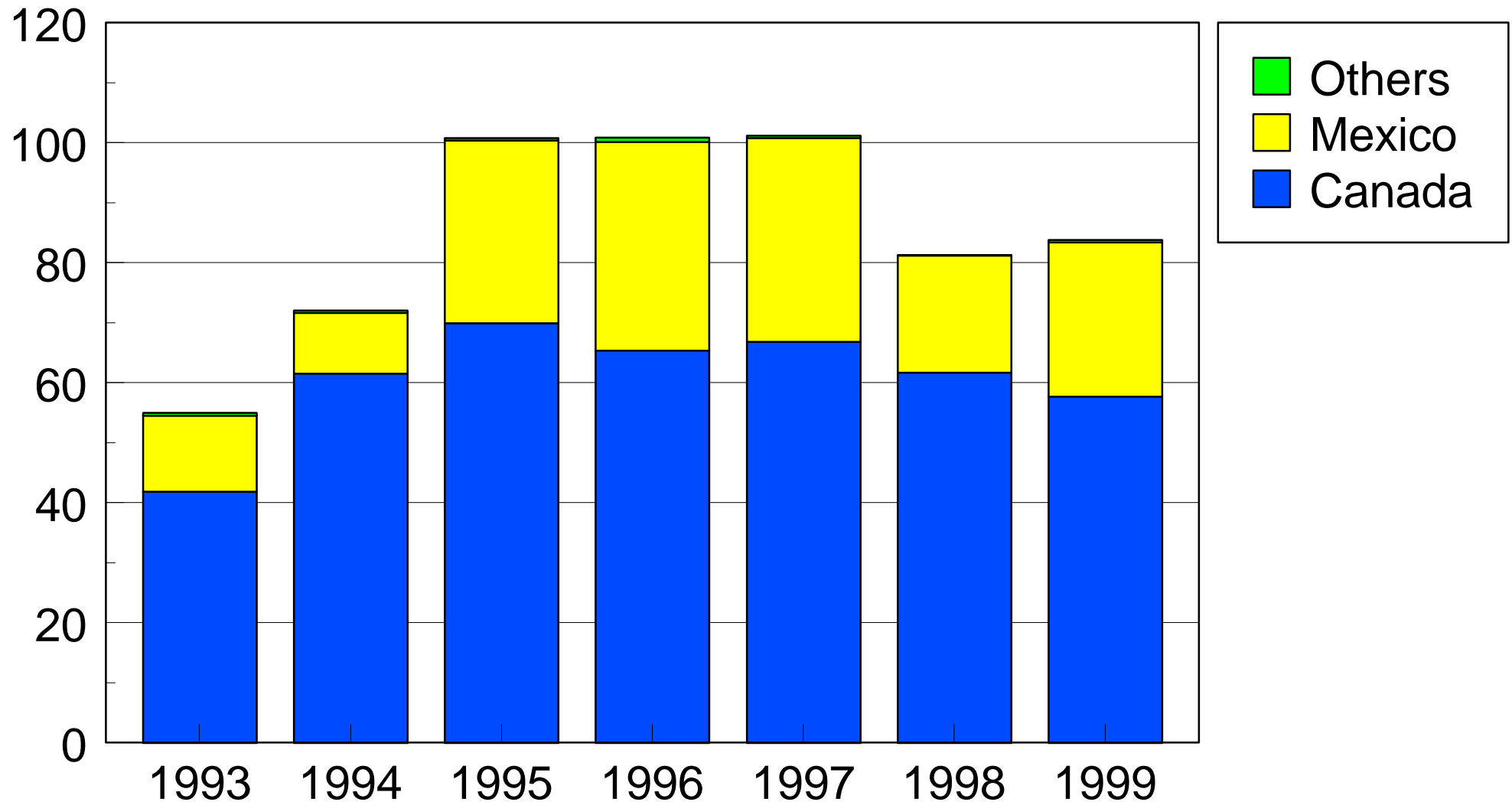
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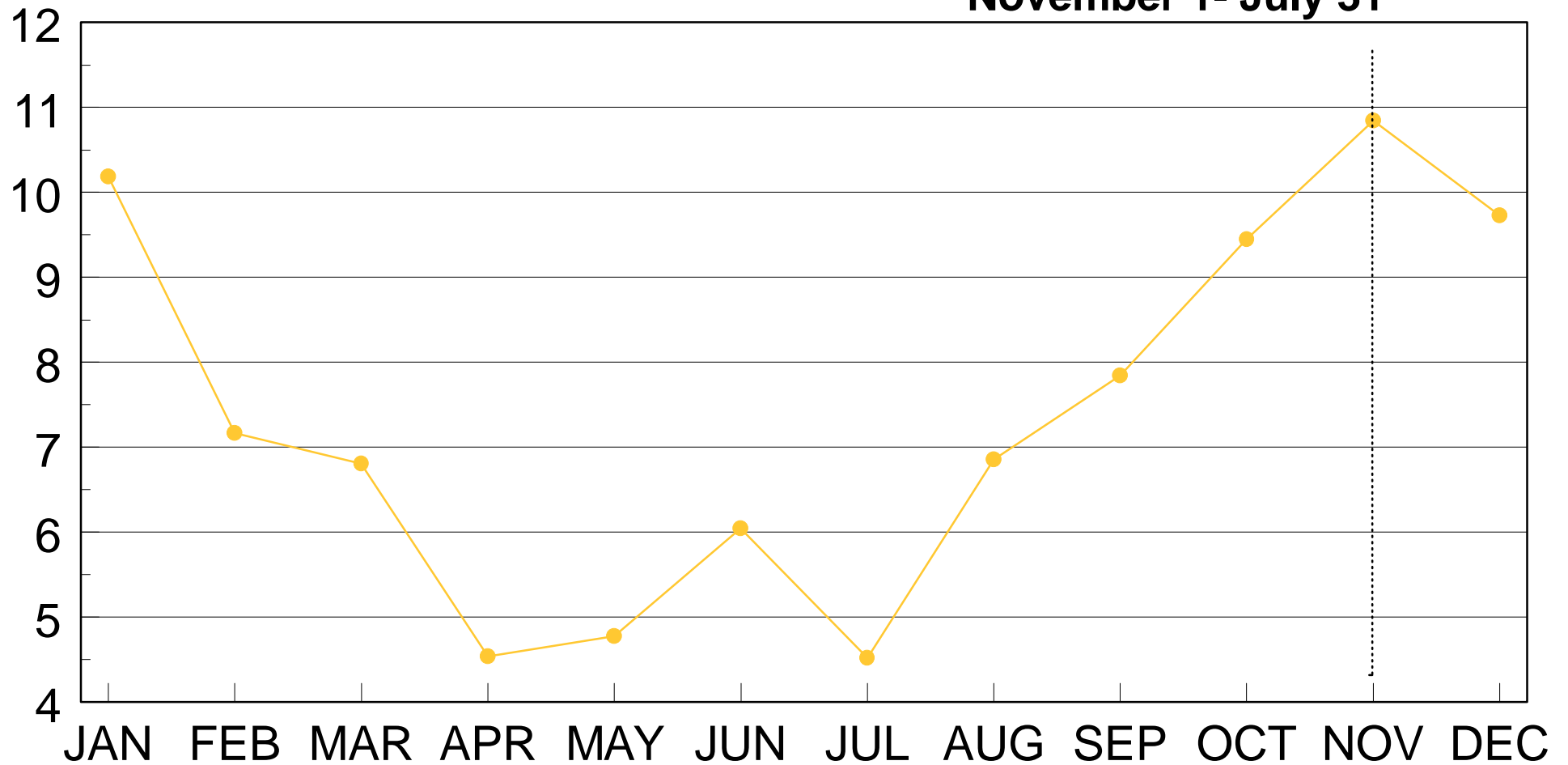


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Monthly Imports of Carrots

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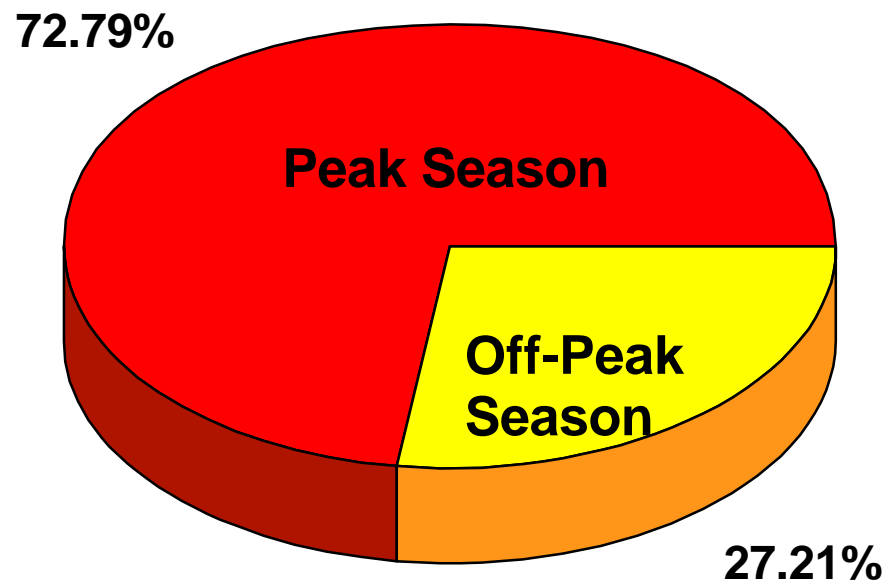
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Share of Carrot Imports in Relation to the U.S. Marketing Season



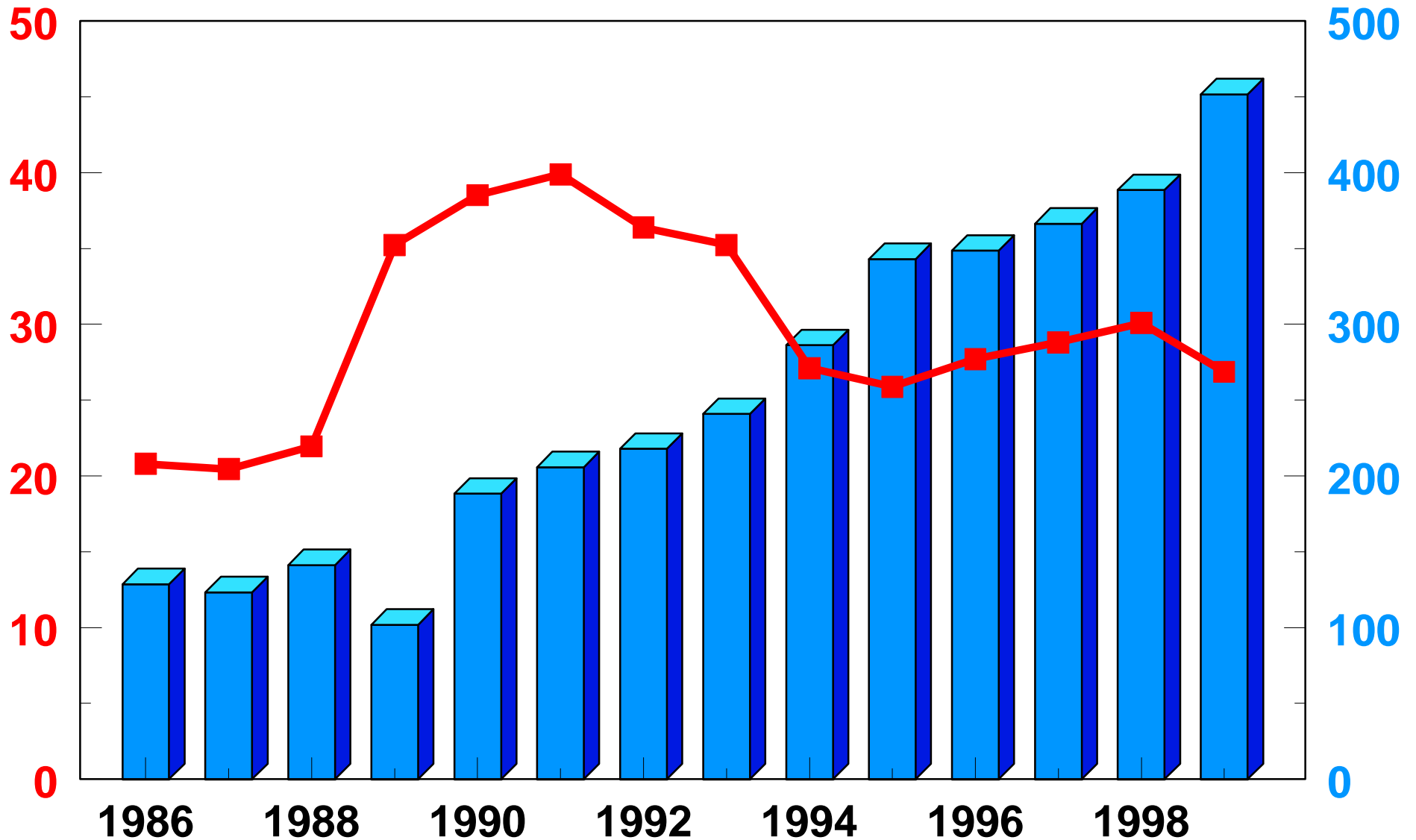
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U.S. Carrot Exports to the World

Quantity and Market Share

Market Share

1,000 Metric Tons



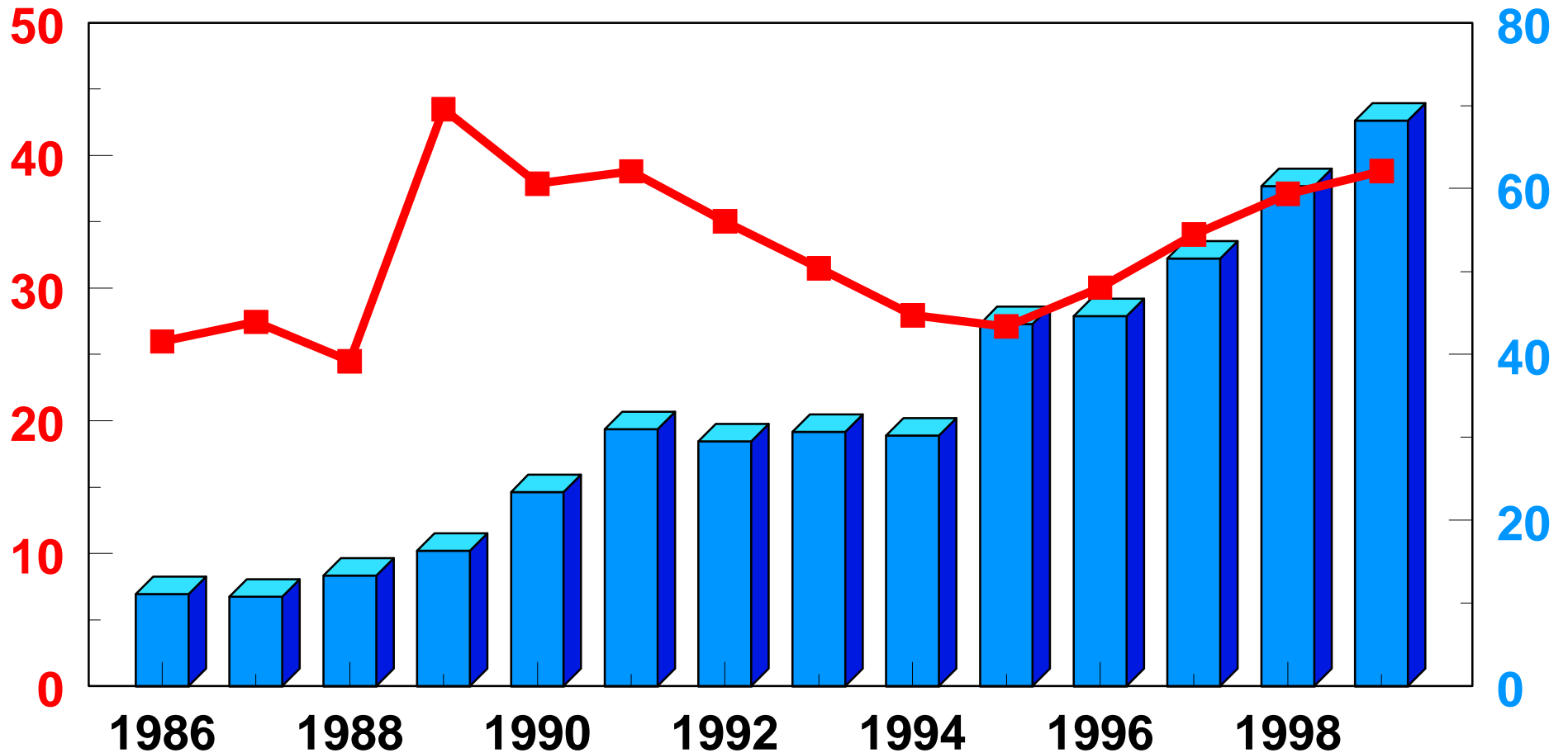
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U.S. Carrot Exports to the World

Market Share and Value

Market Share

Million Dollars



Market Share

value

